



King County

Brin Discover it Today!

Since its incorporation as a city in 1993, Burien has been busy defining and redesigning itself as a vibrant King County city. A 100-year-old community with a rich heritage, its citizens value the city as a friendly community with well-established neigh-borhoods and a small-town atmosphere, with thirtying business areas including ethnic restaurants, bed and breakfasts, and an attractive, customer-friendly city center. Located on Puget Sound and just south of Seattle, Burien is a beautiful city that offers

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attractive, Cussions and just south of Seattle, Burien is a beaturing sepectacular views and places to walk.

Burien's wasique combination of parks, recreation, and cultural opportunities and facilities ranks it a community live, work and play. Home to over 31,000 people of diverse cultures, Burien retains the friendly atmosphere of a small town. Residents are connected to the community, and friends and business associates gather at small cafes or delis to discuss local events. Many business owners are on a first-name basis with their customers. This feeling of connection makes Burien an attractive place to visit, work. live and raise a family. Located twenty minutes from downtown Seattle and ten minutes from Sea-Tac Airport, Burien



of cultural, recreational and shopping amenities, as well as major transportation facilities. With over six miles of Puget Sound waterfront and over 300 acres of porks and open space, it also maintains a strong commitment to the environment and quality of life opportunities.

An active arts community and a variety of special events make Burlen a great place to live, work and do business. Whether you are resident, passing through, or stopping by to visit, you will discover why burlen is a city that holds many wonderful places to go and things to do just waiting to be discovered. Offering a diverse array of cuisine in the area, Burien's many restaurants are exceptional. Burien also offers a wide variety of arts and entertainment, fes-Burien also offers a wide variety of arts and entertainment, fes-tivals and events. Take in a performance at Highline Performing Arts Center, Burien Little Theater, or enjoy one of many autdoor concerts at Lake Burien School Memorial Part in the summer. Burien's summer Farmers.



Market and other commu zens gather to celebrate he Strawberry Festival at Surien Community Center downtown.

Burien's parks, oper space and trails include several regional public space amenities for pas-sive and active recreation. Seahurst Park, a beautiful 169-acre park with



the location of a memorial wall honoring the soldiers



those who served our nation so long ago, you can learn more at www.roadofremembrance.org, Burien's Moshier Park, located next to Highline High School, provides area softball and socce teams a place to play. Burien Community Center Park is home to an award-winning skatepark that is the focus of youthful energy and daring-do

throughout the year. Eagle Landing Park, with its gravel trail and suircase that leads to a pristine beach, provides exercise walk-ers and naturalists an opportunity to discover the unique environment of this area. Burien offers a great quality of life, a

strong sense of community, and wonder-ful recreational opportunities for people of all ages. Burien—Discover it today!

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Sk To The Hospitality City

SeaTac is a young city with a small town atmosphere, where residents take pride in attractive neighborhoods, well-maintained parks, and plentiful views of Mount Rainier. Only fifteen minutes. parks, and pientiful views of Mount Rainier. Only fifteen minutes from Seattle, SeaTac is located at the crossroads of the region's most important transportation links. Home to more than 25,000 residents, the connection between SeaTac and the global community is growing stronger every day. More and more people from around the world are choosing to make SeaTac their home.

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SeaTac prides itself on the open space and recreational programs provided for its citizens. There are currently eight parks in the city offering a wide varithe City WHENDER OF NON- MINE CITY OF THE CITY OF T enjoying the spectactual view of Mount Rainier. Each sum-mer cultural opportunities are offered on a grassy slope of the park. Music in the Park

Concerts Series and Theatre in the Park performances are highlighted on a beautifully designed performing stage with Angle Lake as the backdrop.

SeaTac is truly an inter

national city. Citizens and local businesses can celebrate local businesses can celebrate the cultural diversity of the community by participating in the International Festival. The festival is held the last full weekend in June each year at Angle Lake Park.

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Valley Ridge Park, a 21-acre park located in the center of the
City, is a popular aport for sports enchanisms. Recreational opportunities abound including baseball's of thall, soccer, tennis, hockey, basketball, and a half-mile lighted walking path. The children's play equipment features areas for both school-age and preschool kids, allowing them both age appropriate play opportunities. Skateboarders show their moves on 6,600 square feet of obstacles in the lighted skate park. A very popular event that takes place each June is the "Under the Lights" nighttime skateboard competition where skateboarders come to show their stuff





The largest park in the city North SeaTac Park, includes 16 acres of developed park space. Fe tures include paved walking trail ball fields, outdoor basketbal playground equipment, and a 18-hole disc golf course. Gran view Park, a 37-acre park at the south end of the City, is home to a

regional off-leash dog area.

The city offers two community centers. SeaTac Community Center, a 26,000-square-foot facility offers a wide range of activities for all ages. Valley Ridge Commu-nity Center, an 1,800-square-foot facility is home to the preschool program and teen center. One of SeaTac's best-kent secrets

One of Seal ac's best-kept secrets is the Highline SeaTac Botanical Garden. The garden features 10.5 acres of display gardens, woodlands, trails and water features Adjacent to the botanical garden is the Japanese Garden which is a tranquil gen with artistic, cultural, and historical significance.

SeaTac is not only the gateway for visitors to the Pacific Northwest, it is also a great place to live, work and play











the people who live in Tukwila's neighborhoods and enjoy its parks



It Starts in Parks

Tukwila has been a place for people to gather for hundreds of years. Even before Tukwila incorporated as a city, the Duwamish Tribe named the area Tukwila which means 'valley where the hazelnuts grow.' Since those early days, Tukwila has continued to be a gathering spot. With its easy access to downtown Seattle, Sea-Tac Airport, the Tukwila Sounder commuter rail and Amtrak station, two interstatu highways, Tukwila has grown to become a powerful engine for the regional economy. Today, Tukwila hosts

powerful engine for the regional economy, Today, Tulavila hosts over 2,000 butters with an 40,000 employees working in retail, manufacturing, finance, technology and tourism.

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Tukwila is also a fabulous place to live. Just ask one of our 17,900 residents. The heart and soul of this diverse community is

and gathering places. There is always some thing happening fo

Community Center with its gym, skateboard park, meeting rooms, fitness equipmen classes and activities. In Tukwila you will discover a beaut



Symphony. And wher the sun comes out, so do the festivals. Then is a Wildlife Habitat Fair in May where Tukwila earned the distinction of become



of July 4th continues of July 4th continues that include sports art, games, crafts, food and a parade. In 2008 Tukwila will celebrate its centennial and we

hope you'll celebrate with us. So when you're thinking o a location to start a business, hold a meeting, gather you family, shop 'til you drop, or if you just want a great place to live, think Tukwila!

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PARKS AND RECREATION



Rn To A Place to Be!

Located on the south shore of Lake Washington, Renton is a city offering spectacular views of the Olympics. Cascades, and Mount Rainier. The Cedar River and trail, which run through the heart of downtown, also offer an abundance of natural beauty. Renton offers a unique quality of life, a strong sense of community, and excellent recreational opportunities for everyone

Renton boasts an extensive park, open space, and urban trails system that consists of 27 developed parks, the Maplewood Golf Course (an 18-hole 190-acre, public golf course), 12.5 miles of trails that include a paved 4.5 mile trail along the Cedar River, and 732 acres of public open space for passive and active recreation

Gene Coulon Memorial Beach Park, a beautiful 55-acre park with nearly 1.5 miles of Lake Washington waterfront, is the most popular City Park with 1.5 million visitors each year. The park was rated by The Seattle Times as one of the top five parks in the Seattle area for children.



Veteran's Memorial Park is showcased next to the History Museum and provides an excellent opportunity to honor and reflect on those who have served our nation.

Skateboarders find Liberty Park Skate Park both fun and challenging, offering 8,400 square feet of obsta-cles for varying degrees of ability. Another popular creational opportunity
the city-operated Henry
toses Aquatic Center. It
eatures waterslides, swimning pools, a wave pool. azy river, and more





lights up the town with tre lighting celebrations and Clam Lights at Gene Coulon Memorial Beach Park.

The City has a commu nity center, two neighbor hood centers, a senior center two City library branches and a museum. Renton's unique combination o parks, recreation, and culparks, recreation, and cul-tural opportunities and facilities make it a commu-nity where people choose to live, work, and play.



you enjoy dining in great restaurants, world-class parks for recreation, or unique places to shop—Renton has it all! Renton also offers a diverse array of arts and entertainment, festivals, and events. Take in a performance at Carco Theatre, Renton Civic Theater. Renton IKEA Performing Arts Center, or enjoy one of many outdoor concerts at Gene Coulon Memorial Beach

live here or are visiting, you will discover why Ren on is a city that captures your

www.rentonwa.gov

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT







Interurban Trail

Soos Creek Park & Trail

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Park Name Address Bun Burien Community Center & Park 425 SW 144th S E8 3.0 • • • • C10 6.2 • C11 15 • Chelsea Park 839 SW 136th St Eagle Landing Park 14641 25th Ave SW Moshier Art Center & Parl 430 S 156th St Shorewood Dr SW & SW 126th St Salmon Creek Ravine Seahurst Park (Ed Munro) 140th Ave SW & 16th Ave SW Sr Ta Angle Lake Park Des Moines Creek Park 2151 S 200th St I17-H18 96 Grandview Park 3600 S 228th St K20 North SeaTac Park H8 165 • • • • 2001 S 128th St Sunset Playfields 13659 18th Ave S H9 18 • L15 21 • • • Valley Ridge Park 4644 S 188th St TWLA Tukwila Community Center 12424 42nd Ave S Crystal Springs Park 15832 51st Ave S L11 11 • • • • Crestview Park 16200 42nd Ave S K12 75 Starfire Sports/Fort Dent Park N10 54 • • • • 14800 Starfire Way Joseph Foster Memorial Park N11 6.5 • • • • Tukwila Park 15460 65th Ave S Rn to Cedar River Park Community Center, Aquatic Center, Theate 1717 Maple Valley Highway 23 • • Codar River Trail Park 1060 N Niehiwaki Lane V10 24 • • • • Gene Coulon Memorial Beach Park 1201 Lake Washington Blvd N 86 55 88 12 • • • • • • • • • • Liberty Park Bronson Way N & Houser Way N Piazza-Downtown Park 233 Burnett Ave S Veterans Memorial Park 523 S 3rd St / 232 South Main St S9 0.2 KNG CO TY Green River Trail

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King County Parks are places we go to spend time with our families, slow down, and feel the grass beneath our feet. The over 180 sites in our system include hiking trails, large oper meadows for picnics and events, multi-use parks with ballfields, rural and neighborhood parks, and much more. The King County Parks System also has one of the best trail systems in the nation with over 175 miles of trails for hiking, biking and walking. Our trail network spans from Bothell to Auburn, and from Seattle to Snogualmie. If you're looking for alternate ways to get around town, enjoy nature, or live a healthier lifestyle check out King County's regional and hiking trails.

King County Parks Your **Big Backyard**

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Puget Sound Fresh is a program that encourages consumers, wholesalers, retailers, and restau rants to seek out and purchase locally-grown products. The Burien-SeaTac-Tukwila-Renton area hosts many farmers markets that feature local produce and other goods. Look for this symbol on the map: [7].



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